Disposition: February 26, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

7813. Adulteration of stuffed fruit. U. S. v. 723 Packages of Stuffed Fruit. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 14994. Sample Nos. 73264–F, 73265–F, 73268–F, 73269–F.)

LIBEL FILED: January 15, 1945, Northern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 2 and 9, 1944, by the Liberty Fig and Date Co., from Chicago, Ill.

PRODUCT: 331 2-pound packages and 392 1-pound packages of stuffed fruit at Oakland, Calif.

LABEL, IN PART: "Delicious Stuffed Fruit [or "Fruits"]."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of filthy and decomposed substances by reason of the presence of wormy, sour, and moldy white figs.

DISPOSITION: March 31, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

7814. Adulteration of frozen raspberries. U. S. v. 21 Barrels of Frozen Raspberries. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 14887. Sample No. 93962–F.)

LIBEL FILED: January 3, 1945, District of New Jersey.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 6, 1944, by Bardinet Exports, Inc., from Middleport, N. Y.

Product: 21 barrels, each containing approximately 450 pounds, of frozen raspberries, at Elizabeth, N. J.

LABEL, IN PART: "Cold Packed Columbian Raspberries * * * Packed by George W. Haxton & Son, Inc., Oakfield, N. Y."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of moldy berries.

Disposition: February 5, 1945. Bardinet Exports, Inc., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for distillation purposes.

FRUIT BUTTERS, JAMS, AND JELLIES

7815. Adulteration and misbranding of apple butter. U. S. v. 49 Cases of Apple Butter. Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered delivered to a charitable institution. (F. D. C. No. 14123. Sample No. 74233–F.)

LIBEL FILED: October 25, 1944, Southern District of Texas.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 13, 1944, by the California Preserving Co., from Los Angeles, Calif.

PRODUCT: 49 cases, each containing 12 jars, of apple butter, at Galveston, Tex.

LABEL, IN PART: "Catalina Brand Pure Apple Butter Net Contents 1 Lb. 12 Oz. Made from Fresh Apples."

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), a product insufficiently concentrated had been substituted in whole or in part for apple butter.

Misbranding, Section 403 (g) (1), the product failed to conform to the definition and standard of identity for apple butter since the soluble solids content of the finished product was less than 43 percent.

DISPOSITION: January 3, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered delivered to a charitable institution.

7816. Adulteration and misbranding of jams. U. S. v. 34 Cases of Jams. Default decree of condemnation. Products ordered distributed to charitable institutions. (F. D. C. No. 14018. Sample Nos. 88040-F, 88041-F.)

LIBEL FILED: October 14, 1944, District of Rhode Island.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 5 and July 27, 1944, by the Mactavish Preserves Co., Inc., from Brooklyn, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 28 cases, each containing 24 jars, of strawberry jam, and 6 cases, each containing 24 jars, of apricot jam, at Woonsocket, R. I.

LABEL, IN PART: "Mactavish Pure Strawberry Jam [or "Apricot Jam"]."